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TAGS: MASS, RP

SUBJECT: T-28-D AIRCRAFT

REFS: A. MANILA 5884

B. STATE 103967

CINCPAC ALSO FOR POLAD

1. AFTER STUDYING MANILA REFTTEL IT APPEARS EVIDENT THAT THE T-28-D AIRCRAFT TRANSFER PROJECT HAS MOVED TO A POINT WHERE WE CANNOT CHALLENGE IT. WE HOPE THAT THE TRANSFER ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE AS LOW-KEY AS POSSIBLE, AND CONSIDER THAT PROCEDURES SUCH AS ARE SUGGESTED IN PARA 4 OF MANILA 5884 ARE DESIRABLE. IF FACT OF DELIVERY BECOMES PUBLIC, HOWEVER, AMERICAN SOURCES SHOULD NOT DENY IT. ALSO SUGGEST THAT MISSION SEEK TO INFLUENCE THE PHILIPPINE SIDE TO HANDLE THE RECEPTION AND INTEGRATION OF THE T-28-D;S INTO THEIR FORCES WITH NO FANFARE.

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2. DOD INFORMS US THEY ARE STILL CHECKING ON NUMBERS, CONDITION AND AVAILABILITY DATES OF AIRCRAFT. THEY SHOULD HAVE FINAL INFORMATION TO YOU BY END OF NEXT WEEK.

3. RECOGNIZING THAT OUR CONCERNS IN THIS CASE WERE BELATEDLY EXPRESSED AND HAVE NOW BEEN OVERTAKEN BY EVENTS, WE BELIEVE THAT THERE EXISTS A CATEGORY OF WEAPONS, HOWEVER ILL-DEFINED, WHICH WE SHOULD AVOID PROVIDING TO THE PHILIPPINES AS LONG AS THEIR PRIMARY OR APPARENT PURPOSE IS FOR INTERNAL USE AGAINST THE MUSLIMS. AS A STEP TOWARD SUCH AN INTERIM CONSENSUS ON GUIDELINES FOR U.S. MILITARY ASSISTANCE WE ARE DRAFTING A SEPARATE MESSAGE, ON WHICH WE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY AND CINCPAC COMMENTS.

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